

Historic Civilian Labor Force Estimates for Kentucky

Annual averages: 1970-2004

Year	Civilian Labor Force	Employed	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate (%)
1970	1,227,000	1,173,000	54,000	4.4
1971	1,265,000	1,199,000	65,000	5.2
1972	1,289,000	1,213,000	77,000	5.9
1973	1,389,000	1,338,000	52,000	3.7
1974	1,431,000	1,366,000	65,000	4.5
1975	1,430,000	1,326,000	105,000	7.3
1976	1,482,000	1,399,000	83,000	5.6
1977	1,549,000	1,476,000	72,000	4.7
1978	1,597,000	1,513,000	84,000	5.2
1979	1,607,000	1,517,000	89,000	5.6
1980	1,662,000	1,529,000	133,000	8
1981	1,668,000	1,528,000	140,000	8.4
1982	1,685,000	1,506,000	179,000	10.6
1983	1,700,000	1,502,000	198,000	11.7
1984	1,714,000	1,554,000	160,000	9.3
1985	1,696,000	1,535,000	161,000	9.5
1986	1,691,000	1,534,000	157,000	9.3
1987	1,685,000	1,537,000	148,000	8.8
1988	1,713,000	1,578,000	135,000	7.9
1989	1,742,000	1,634,000	108,000	6.2
1990	1,767,000	1,662,600	104,400	5.9
1991	1,756,050	1,625,111	130,939	7.5
1992	1,768,456	1,645,998	122,458	6.9
1993	1,803,874	1,692,147	111,727	6.2
1994	1,825,267	1,726,963	98,304	5.4
1995	1,862,186	1,761,815	100,371	5.4
1996	1,866,631	1,761,661	104,970	5.6
1997	1,919,705	1,816,340	103,365	5.4
1998	1,933,335	1,844,158	89,177	4.6
1999	1,969,920	1,881,891	88,029	4.5
2000	1,979,248	1,898,571	80,677	4.1
2001	1,962,469	1,856,674	105,795	5.4
2002	1,932,470	1,824,480	107,990	5.6
2003	1,979,004	1,856,204	122,800	6.2
2004	1,973,994	1,870,249	103,695	5.3

Source: Kentucky Department for Employment Services, Local Area Unemployment Statistics

see: <http://www.workforcekentucky.ky.gov/cgi/dataanalysis/AreaSelection.asp?tableName=Labforce>